

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An ink cartridge is provided with an ink accommodating section for containing ink, an ink supplying part for supplying ink contained in the ink accommodating section to an inkjet type recording apparatus by inserting an ink supplying needle provided at a lower part of the inkjet type recording apparatus, and an atmospheric valve, which seals a communicating hole in order that the ink accommodating section and the atmosphere communicate, while opening a communicating hole, which allows the ink accommodating section to communicate with the atmosphere, by moving perpendicular to a direction in which the ink cartridge is inserted into the inkjet type recording apparatus by being pushed up by a contact member.